

How Much Money Would New York Schools Receive From Fully Funding Title I of the No Child Left Behind Act?

The Bush Administration's 2004 proposal to fund Title I of the landmark No Child Left Behind Act leaves it billions of dollars short of the money required to improve the education of America's children. A Democrat proposal to fully fund Title I would bring \$133.2 million to schools in Upstate New York according to the Congressional Research Service. This money would allow schools to hire thousands of new teachers, reducing class sizes and providing specialized instruction in math and reading aimed at helping thousands of New York children meet state standards. ***For a county-by-county breakdown of how New York schools would benefit from fully funding Title I, please see the following report.***

Capital Region: The Bush Administration's funding proposal for Title I of the landmark "No Child Left Behind Act" would send \$38.8 million to schools in the Capital Region, \$12.8 million less than what schools need to meet higher educational standards.

County	Bush Administration	Full Funding	Difference
Albany	\$10.6 million	\$15.2 million	\$4.6 million
Rensselaer	\$6.2 million	\$7.7 million	\$1.5 million
Schenectady	\$7 million	\$9.5 million	\$2.5 million
Saratoga	\$4.2 million	\$5.3 million	\$1.1 million
Fulton	\$3.2 million	\$4.1 million	\$900,000
Montgomery	\$2.8 million	\$3.7 million	\$900,000
Schoharie	\$1.7 million	\$2.2 million	\$500,000
Washington	\$3.1 million	\$3.9 million	\$800,000
Capital Region	\$38.8 million	51.6 million	\$12.8 million

Rochester and the Finger Lakes: The Bush Administration’s funding proposal for Title I of the landmark “No Child Left Behind Act” would send \$58 million to schools in Rochester and the Finger Lakes, \$21.8 million less than what schools need to meet higher educational standards.

County	Bush Administration	Full Funding	Difference
Cayuga	\$1.5 million	\$1.9 million	\$400,000
Seneca	\$1.7 million	\$2.1 million	\$400,000
Yates	\$1.5 million	\$1.9 million	\$400,000
Ontario	\$3.5 million	\$4.4 million	\$900,000
Wayne	\$4.1 million	\$5.1 million	\$1 million
Monroe	\$40.2 million	\$57.6 million	\$17.4 million
Livingston	\$1.9 million	\$2.4 million	\$500,000
Schuyler	\$775,000	\$973,000	\$198,000
Tompkins	\$2.8 million	\$3.4 million	\$600,000
Finger Lakes	\$58 million	\$79.8 million	\$21.8 million

Central New York: The Bush Administration’s funding proposal for Title I of the landmark “No Child Left Behind Act” would send \$48.5 million to schools in Central New York, \$16.9 million less than what schools need to meet higher educational standards.

County	Bush Administration	Full Funding	Difference
Oneida	\$13.2 million	\$17.8 million	\$4.6 million
Oswego	\$7 million	\$8.8 million	\$1.8 million
Madison	\$2.7 million	\$3.4 million	\$700,000
Cortland	\$2.6 million	\$3.3 million	\$700,000
Onondaga	\$23 million	\$32.1 million	\$9.1 million
Central New York	\$48.5 million	\$65.4 million	\$16.9 million

Hudson Valley: The Bush Administration’s funding proposal for Title I of the landmark “No

Child Left Behind Act” would send \$90.4 million to schools in the Hudson Valley, \$31.8 million less than what schools need to meet higher educational standards.

County	Bush Administration	Full Funding	Difference
Westchester	\$32.6 million	\$43.9 million	\$11.3 million
Rockland	\$15.4 million	\$20.8 million	\$5.4 million
Putnam	\$1.6 million	\$2 million	\$400,000
Dutchess	\$8 million	\$10.7 million	\$2.7 million
Ulster	\$7 million	\$8.8 million	\$1.8 million
Sullivan	\$4 million	\$6.3 million	\$2.3 million
Orange	\$17.1 million	\$23.7 million	\$6.6 million
Greene	\$2.2 million	\$2.8 million	\$600,000
Columbia	\$2.5 million	\$3.2 million	\$700,000
Hudson Valley	\$90.4 million	\$122.2 million	\$31.8 million

***North Country:** The Bush Administration’s funding proposal for Title I of the landmark “No Child Left Behind Act” would send \$29.8 million to schools in the North Country, \$7.9 million less than what schools need to meet higher educational standards.*

County	Bush Administration	Full Funding	Difference
Warren	\$3.1 million	\$3.9 million	\$800,000
Essex	\$1.7 million	\$2.1 million	\$400,000
Clinton	\$3.9 million	\$4.9 million	\$1 million
Franklin	\$3 million	\$3.9 million	\$900,000
Hamilton	\$161,000	\$201,000	\$40,000
St Lawrence	\$6.4 million	\$8.1 million	\$1.7 million
Herkimer	\$3.6 million	\$4.5 million	\$900,000
Lewis	\$1.6 million	\$2.1 million	\$500,000
Jefferson	\$6.3 million	\$8 million	\$1.7 million
North Country	\$29.8 million	\$37.7 million	\$7.9 million

***Southern Tier:** The Bush Administration’s funding proposal for Title I of the landmark “No Child Left Behind Act” would send \$35.5 million to schools in the Southern Tier, \$9.8 million less than*

what schools need to meet higher educational standards.

County	Bush Administration	Full Funding	Difference
Delaware	\$2.5 million	\$3.1 million	\$600,000
Otsego	\$2.9 million	\$3.6 million	\$700,000
Chenango	\$3.3 million	\$4.2 million	\$900,000
Broome	\$10.2 million	\$12.9 million	\$2.7 million
Tioga	\$2.2 million	\$2.7 million	\$500,000
Chemung	\$4.7 million	\$6.2 million	\$1.5 million
Steuben	\$6.3 million	\$8.2 million	\$1.9 million
Allegany	\$3.4 million	\$4.4 million	\$1 million
Southern Tier	\$35.5 million	\$45.3 million	\$9.8 million

***Western New York:** The Bush Administration’s funding proposal for Title I of the landmark “No Child Left Behind Act” would send \$82.1 million to schools in Western New York, \$32.2 million less than what schools need to meet higher educational standards.*

County	Bush Administration	Full Funding	Difference
Orleans	\$2.2 million	\$2.9 million	\$700,000
Genesee	\$2.3 million	\$2.9 million	\$600,000
Wyoming	\$1.3 million	\$1.7 million	\$400,000
Erie	\$51.8 million	\$74.8 million	\$23 million
Niagara	\$10.4 million	\$13.7 million	\$3.3 million
Cattaraugus	\$5 million	\$6.3 million	\$1.3 million
Chautauqua	\$9.1 million	\$12 million	\$2.9 million
Western New York	\$82.1 million	114.3 million	\$32.2 million